

A Newsy Trip Around The World

By Elizabeth Saunders

In Lstant, Ill., having applied for U. S. citizenship, Siamese Twins Lucio and Simplicio Godino, 27, Filipinos, were notified by the U. S. Immigration Bureau that they could not be given naturalization papers unless they served three years in the U. S. Army.

Richard M. Lawrenson of Washington, D. C. owns a Bible that is 150 years old, and over which 26 Postmasters General have been sworn in. His grandfather, the late James Lawrenson, as a notary of the Post Office Department, swore in each Postmaster General from Francis Granger, in 1841, to John Wanamaker, in 1889. It was back in the days when all officials taking an oath actually kissed the Bible.

In Burr Oak, Kansas, a woman walked into relief headquarters carrying a shirt she had obtained for her husband the day before. "This shirt fits all right," she explained, "but there's a button come off. Will you sew another one on?"

Clambering up its masters arm a tiny monkey flung its arms around its aged master's neck and kissed him. This saved old Max, 67, from being fined for cruelty to his pet. Max had jerked the Monkey's chain when the pet refused to dance for pennies in a Berlin, Germany, street.

In Oklahoma City, a young man wanted a refund on a marriage license. "Nothing doing," said Lynnie Clayton, clerk. "Well," said the young man, "I guess I'll go ahead and get married then."

In Lewiston, Iowa, an apple tree at the home of A. C. Hay bloomed for the second time in the year this fall. There was a third as many blooms as in the usual springtime blooming.

In Toledo's Baltimore & Ohio railroad yards, Locomotive Engineer E. A. Black saw Jusus Luna naggng a small boy to buy narcotics, chased Luna on foot and lost him, ran back to his locomotive, chased Luna with the locomotive, caught him.

Children between the ages of three and 10 have organized a church in Dorchester, England. They have their own church warden and their own choir. A little girl plays the organ. They take turns in reading the lesson. Tiny chairs and hassacks are placed in position every Sunday and there is an air of complete reverence during the services. Birthdays are observed and each member is presented with a birthday cake.

A barroom near a Brooklyn, New York newspaper displays a sign in the window reading: "Get Your Relief Checks Cashed Here! Whiskey, 15, 25 and 35c."

Zulu boys of South Africa whitten their ankles with pipe clay, and using a stick tipped in saliva, make lines and dots on their ankles to represent the top and lace holes of imaginary shoes.

In Lawton, Oklahoma, a woman recommended the following remedy as a "cure" for common colds: "Rub a teaspoonful of quinine onto the bottom of the feet, then put shoes on. The bigger the feet, the worse; cold, so use more quinine."

In Debham, Mass., a woman sought a divorce claiming desertion. "The name?" she was asked: "Kataizyna Sienasczkowicz." "Where is your husband now?" inquired the judge.

"In Swinsinany, Krostantinow, Poland.

If you can't say the name—oh, well, just sneeze three times!

In Patterson, N. J., returned home after a runaway trip to Manhattan, Max Wilemchik, 14 told newshawks, "I lost my dog from the garage after I locked the door myself. The pup was smart. Still, he couldn't unfasten the door himself. I figured it all out and seemed to me that mom gave the pup away, because he tracked mud into the delicatessen. You know how that made me feel. If they didn't like my dog they didn't like me. I'm going to look for my dog. I think I know where he is. If he isn't well, I don't know what I will do, but this isn't all washed up yet, bet your boots on that."

In Washington recently, Mrs. Mette Bruin, 64, and her brother Albert Wood, 61, were reunited after a 44 year seperation. They parted when the brother, as a boy of 17, left the family in Denmark to seek his fortune in the New World. A few years

later the sister, unknown to him, also came to this country. Both were married in the United States, and Wood's wife recently wrote to the family home in Denmark, inquiring for the sister. Learning she was living in Washington, he arranged the reunion.

In Waltham, Mass., when Harlan C. Goodwin returned home, he found the house ransacked and a note for him on the living-room table that read: "What a sap you are to leave your place wide open for me to rob."

Nomination for the meanest burglar—the thief who stole two circus tickets from a home in Fort Worth Texas, and then took \$1.65 from the bank of the youngster of the family.

In air Lawn, N. J., when someone stole the little white pig on which John Clauss conducts his experiments in pig medicine, Clauss advertised that the pig had just been inoculated with a poisonous serum, added, "I just want the people who took my little white pig to know that my other pig is filled with poisonous serum too."

In Brooklyn, as fireman fought into a blaze in the office of Dentist Irving Winter, ten gross of toothbrushes with composition handles exploded, injuring seven firemen, two of them seriously.

The Rev. James Hollis of Seattle, Wash., probably wouldn't regret his loss if he knew the thieves who robbed his car while it was parked on a street in Memphis, Tenn., would use the articles. The thieves stole \$15 worth of prayer books.

In St. Louis, Mo., bartenders are finding it difficult to keep women away from the bars, as required by a city ordinance. A bartender told a woman who entered his place and asked to be served. "I'm sorry," he apologized, "but we are not permitted to serve ladies at the bar." Said the woman, "I ain't no lady. Gimme a beer."

In Philadelphia, Stella Phillips, 17 year old waitress, underwent an operation in which five needles were removed from her stomach. Surgeons checked the records and discovered it was the third in a year.

In the Amur Region of Siberia, the women wear dresses made entirely of fish skin. Bill Holcomb of Luling, Texas, owns a hen that lays eggs with tails, according to Ripley.

Mileage Hints



By J. F. Winchester, S.A.E. Supervisor of Motor Vehicle Equipment, Standard Oil Company of New Jersey

NOW is the time to inspect your headlights to be sure they are in good working order. Motorists sometimes drive for weeks with only one bulb working and never even know it. Now that the hours of darkness are greater than at any time in the year, headlights are particularly important. Look yours over to be sure that both bulbs are working and that the lights are properly focused to conform to state highway regulations.

If you are in any doubt as to the necessity of having good headlights, just remember that accident figures show that 9,720 persons are killed annually during the four rush hours of evening, as compared with the 2,550 killed annually during the four rush hours of morning. This indicates the need of more careful driving in the dark. Consequently, be sure your headlights are in good working order. Otherwise you invite trouble.

Largely due to the effects of the adjustment program and lower interest rates, the North Carolina farmer now needs only a third as much cotton to pay the interest on his farm mortgage as he did in 1932.

In the spring of 1933, Allard A. Battle of Edgecombe County planted 225 Red Cedar seedlings. This winter, he had for sale 223 Christmas trees four to six feet high.

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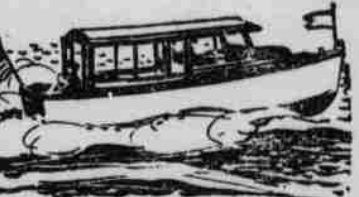
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To the depositors and creditors of the Beaufort Banking & Trust Company, Beaufort, N. C., and all other interested persons:

You are hereby notified that on the 30th day of December, 1935, there was filed in the office of the Clerk of the Superior Court of Carteret County a written outline of a plan for the immediate liquidation of the Beaufort Banking & Trust Company of Beaufort, N. C. Said plan of liquidation provides that all assets of said Beaufort Banking & Trust Company will be offered for sale at public auction to the highest bidder, at which sale the depositors of said Beaufort Banking & Trust Company of Beaufort, N. C., will be permitted to bid on said assets, and in the event said bidder becomes the highest bidder, said bidder will be permitted to use his or her deposit in payment of the purchase of said assets, on the basis of 30 per cent of the face amount of such deposit. That this plan of liquidation was duly adopted by the Depositors at a meeting held on December 19, 1935.

You are further notified and admonished that all depositors and creditors, or other persons, may file with the Clerk of the Superior Court of Carteret County, within thirty (30) days from the date of the first publication of this notice any objection which they, or any of them, may have to said plan of liquidation. This the 30th day of December, 1935.

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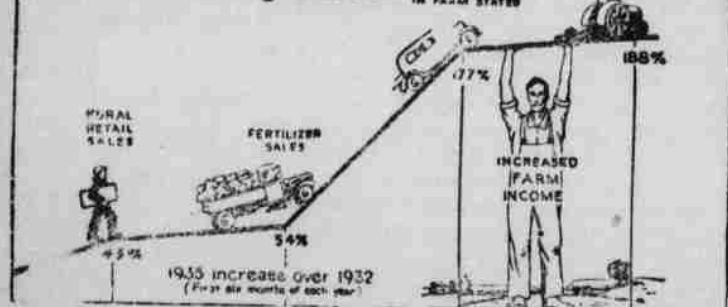
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The above chart shows a substantial increase in sales to farmers for the first six months of 1935 as compared with the first half of 1932. This stimulation of business has resulted in an increase in employment and payrolls in many industries. In the farm implement industry, for example, employment in the first 16 months of 1935 was more than 2 1/2 times as great, and payrolls were more than 3 1/2 times as great as in the first 16 months of 1932. The industry as a whole is estimated that at least 10% of the increase in factory employment from 1932 to date is due to the improvement of rural purchasing power. In 1932 the farm cash income was \$1,328,000,000 compared with an estimated farm cash income of \$6,800,000,000 for 1935.